

# Update 2013

## Regional Report Storyboard

*Reinventing Water Plan Regional Reports*

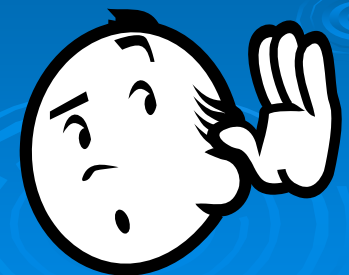
# Goals for Today's Presentation

Refine the regional report storyline so it culminates into actionable resource management recommendations

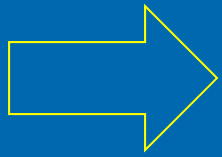
Identify opportunities to integrate other agency initiatives, priorities or data into regional reports (Federal, Tribal, State, Regional and Local)

# Regional Reports: What We Heard

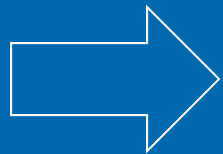
- Statewide programs need to understand regional conditions & priorities
- Information also needed on sub-regional conditions
- Recommendations needed to be more specific to each regions' unique challenges and opportunities



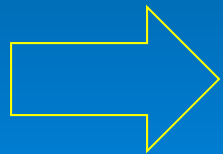
# Regional Report: Objectives



Provide accurate and comprehensive description of regional conditions, efforts and implementation priorities



Focus on the unique conditions, objectives and available solutions in each region



Better support planning efforts and programs at local and regional level

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## *Incorporation of Regional Initiatives*



# Regional Report "Storyboard"



Current State of Region

Regional Resource Management Objectives

Inter-regional and Statewide Relationships

Water Management Strategies and Initiatives

Short- and Long-term Recommendations

# Current State of Region

- Description of unique characteristics of regions and sub-regions, including:
  - Geography, hydrology, demographics, economics
  - Flood and water mgmt. challenges & opportunities
- Recent/key policies, programs, legislation
- Major efforts and initiatives



# Resource Management Objectives

- Overview of local and regional water planning and mgmt. objectives, e.g.:
  - IRWM, UWMP, Irrigation district, Flood district, RCD and General Plan goals
  - State program guidelines and criteria such as Water Boards, IRWM Strategic Plan
- Anticipating future conditions and needs





# Inter-Regional & Statewide Relationships

- Past and present interactions with other regions (upstream and downstream), e.g.:
  - imported water, transfers, conjunctive use
  - floodplain management activities
- Current and future stake in larger inter-regional systems
  - Bay-Delta conditions and programs

# Water Management Strategies and Initiatives

- Describe the Resource Management Strategies currently used in region
- Describe which strategies are: readily available, most effective, preferred
- Feasibility for expanding current strategies
- Feasibility for new strategies
- Tradeoffs and overall benefits



# Short- and Long-term Implementation Actions

- Recommendations for implementation
  - Short-term and long-term
  - Likely benefits associated with actions
- “No Excuse” actions
- Consequences of inaction



# Questions of Public AC

1. What other decisions can/should be supported by the Regional Reports?
2. What other information, companion plans, etc should be reflected in the regional reports?